LOCAL NEWS.

COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, -It was twenty minutes to three o'clock before a quorum of the County School Board assembled yesterday afternoon. At that hour there were present: Richard L. Carne, County Superintendent, President ex officio; from Jefferson School District, Messrs. Philip Rotchford and John Slater, from Arlington School District, Messrs. Geo. R. Adams and Harvey Bailey; and from Washington School District, Messrs. Geo. Ott Wunder and Henry W. Febrey.

The election of officers for the ensuing year being first in order, Philip Rotchford was unanimously elected Vice President, and Richard J. Collins, Clerk.

()0 motion, Messrs. Wunder and Febrey were appointed to examine the books of Jefferson District; Messrs. Rotchford and Slater, to examine those of Arlington District; Messrs. Adams and Bailey, those of Washington District, and the President those of the County Treasurer, and a recess was taken for the purpese of allowing the examination.

On reassembling, Mr. Wunder, from the Committee on the Books of Jefferson District, reported them correctly kept, but that there

were no vouchers. The Chair decided that although it was very desirable that receipts should be taken from vi persons to whom warrants were given, yet that those warrants endorsed by the proper persons were sufficient vouchers under the law. from which decision Mr. Adams appealed, and the decision of the Chair was reversed. Thereupon, a fine of five dollars was ordered to be entered against Mr. John R. Johnston, Clerk of the District Board of Jefferson, as required

Mr. Rotchford, from the Committee on the Books of Arlington District, reported them correct and well kept, and the report was ac-

eepted.
Mr. Adams, from the Committee on the Books of Washington District, reported that they were not present.

Mr. Geo. Ott Wunder, clerk of that District. explained that having changed his post office address he had received no notice of the meeting, but being at the Court House, had heard of it and come down. He would send the books to the committee for examination.

On motion of Mr. Adams the excuse was received, as was, also, a fine of five dollars charged against Mr. Wunder last year, he having given a sufficient excuse for his failure on that occasion.

The President from the Committee on the County Treasurer's Books, reported them correct, except as to delinquencies and remissions by order of Court, of which he knew nothing, and there were no vouchers, and a charge of ten dollars for stationery, for which no allowance had been made by the Board. The County Treasurer said he had to have

paper to make out his accounts and to furnish teachers to write letters, &c.

The President said he thought the Treasurer's commissions on school funds, which were \$133.78 last year, ought to cover the little amount of stationery he would require. His solary as County Superintendent was but \$90 a year, and he had to write ten times as many letters on school business as the County Treasurer had, yet the law clearly did not allow him to charge for stationery. If the Treasurer chose to supply the teachers with paper, that was his own concern; the county had nothing to do with it. Besides, he looked upon the charge as excessive; ten dollars would buy two reams of foolscap, besides pens and ink. Mr. Wunder said it would not take three

sheets of paper to transact the money business of his District. The Treasurer said the Board could pass the

bill or not, as it saw fit. On motion of Mr. Febrey the Treasurer was allowed five dollars for stationery, and, at 4:20, the Board adjourned.

BAD NEWS .- From the annexed letter, dated New York, Sept. 1, 1873, received here this morning by the agent of one of the largest coal com; aules doing business in the country, a by no means light injury may, without the earliest and most satisfactory assurances are given, be inflicted upon the business prospects of this city. It is incomprehensible how such a state of affairs, as alluded to in the letter, should exist, and surely there must be a remedy. With good and reliable canal transportation to Cumberland, Alexandria's facilities for conducting the shipping part of the coal trade, must secure by far the major part of it, but if breaks or other sorts of interruptions to navigation are a lowed to occur as continuously in the future as during the past summer, and when they do occur to require such prolonged periods to repair them, she will be shorn of half her strength:

"Dear Sir: - We have your favor of the 30th ult.. and your telegram of to day, which does not surprise us in the least; on the contrary, we rather expected it. We know the canal is not only in inefficient hands in case of breaks, but that these parties, for the purpose of making a false exhibit of earnings, entirely neglected it all the early part of the season, and it is in such a deplorable condition, that it is not to be relied upon at all, and we shall aim to build up a a business at Baltimore, in preference to canal, simply because we cannot afford to take the risk of sending vessels to Alexandria. We are doing a largely increased trade at Baltimore. Notwithstanding the broken canal our tonnage for Aug. 1873, is six tons more than August, 1872. Our total to August, 1873, at Baltimore is 97,000 tons against 73,000 tons to August 30, 1872. This is the penalty the canal bondholders are paying for bad management. We hope all unloaded boats were below the present break, and this break of only 20 feet, in decent hands, would hardly make any difference, in teturn of boats to Cumberland, but ten chances to one, before it is repaired another will

follow it. In this connection it is mentioned that reports from Georgetown to-day say that but two days will be required to repair the last break, and that boats may, by to-morrow, be expected to be again on their way up and down. That the report may be true is the wish of all interested in the welfare of this city.

SUPPOSED SHIPWRECK. -The schooner Mary A. Harmon, Small master, arrived at this port, reports a supposed shipwreck. The following is the statement of the mate, Chas. Fountain: "On the afternoon of Saturday, 23d ult., when passing Fire Island, saw what at first was taken to be a part of a drift sea fishing apparatus. Captain and myself went off to it in the gig and found it to be the prow of a life boat, such as carried by ocean steamers; made a line fast to her ring bolt and attempted to tow her to the vessel, but as she seemed weighted down and retained her position, stern sunk and only a small portion of her bow above the water, were unable to do so. The vessel then came alongside, and in the efforts to raise her her stern came out, and she suck immediately, apparenty having something very heavy in her stern. She had a canvas covering, laced on, and had a brass number 4, about two inches long, on her port bow. When she sunk seven oars, marked Idaho, No. 4, two boat hooks, one water keg, also such as carried on well equipped ocean steamer's life boats, a tiller and rudder, and the mast, all marked No. 4, floated out of her and are now aboard the vessel. She had something very heavy in her stern, but what it was we could not learn. The water keg was

THE EXCURSION of the German Benevolent a shooting match for a powder flask, shot-pouch 1 money.

and game bag, gifts of Mr. M. Bossart, which were won by Mr. Mayhew, of Washington, by his superior skill. The greased pole was not climed, nor the greased pig run for, but many other sports were engaged in and dancing, to the strains of most excellent music, was kept up until a late hour of the night. A sack race was run by three German ladies one of whom fell early in the action, another fell over her prostrate form and the third carried off the prize-a gold piece-amid the plaudits of a delighted crowd. The running of the boys was the cause of much amusement. Messrs. Jas. Coleman and James Reed, of Alexandria, and George Karl and John Baker, of Washington city, and George Johnson, of Alexandria county, were appointed judges of the shooting. The sack race for the children was won by master John Abendscheisn. Col. Charles E. Stuart. delivered an oration in the afternoon. All returned safe and in excellent spirits, delighted with the day's enjoyment.

REMARKABLE OCCURRENCE. -Though death and taxes are, proverbially, the two things certain, they are not often welcomed, and we doubt whether a parallel can be found, anywhere, to the scene that occurred in front of our City Treasurer's office yesterday. When Mr. George W. Rock, who had prepared the tax bills and was to aid the Treasurer in collecting them, made his appearance, about nine o'clock, a crowd of a hundred or a hundred and fifty people, of all ages and colors, and of both sexes, who were waiting in front of the office manifested their pleasure by cries of "here he comes," and actually greeted him with three cheers. When he got into the inner office, they actually climbed into the windows, and crowded around him in such a manner that he was, with difficulty, enabled to sign receipts. Is there any other place in the country, great or small, where the appearance of the tax gatherer is cheered when he comes to collect his dues?

LOUDOUN CONSERVATIVE NOMINATIONS. -At the Loudoun County Conservative Nominating Convention, held yesterday, the following ticket was nominated:

For the House of Delegates, J. A. Carter and M. Harrison. For Sheriff, W. F. Barret.

For Commonwealth's Attorney, Charles H. For County Treasurer, A. T. M. Filler.

For Clerk of the County Court, Edgar Littleton.

Por County Surveyor, Thomas Norris. For Superintendant of Poor, W. H. Hibbs. The nominees are all gentlemen deserving the fullest confidence, not only of their party. but of the people generally, and will each and all fill the position for which they have been selected with credit. Old Loudoun will doubtless do her whole duty in the coming contest.

EFFICIENT STEAMBOAT MANAGEMENT.-This morning Captain James Harper, of the steamer Columbia, while on his way from Washington to this city, thought he would see, provided his boat should catch fire, how his crew would act under the circumstances, so he sounded the alarm on the main deck at 9.45, and in one and a half minutes the engineer, Mr. John Bleasdale, had two streams from the donkey and one from the forward deck pump in operation and flooding the decks. At 9.451 orders were given to lower away boats and get out life preservers, and in two minutes, under direction of Mr. L. T. Pearson, mate, every boat was in the water, and every life-preserver out and ready for use. Rarely has such rapidity been exhibited, and from this test fires may break out with impunity on what has for years past been known among river people as the 'old reliable.'

Loss of the Ironsides. - A telegram from Fortress Mooroe dated yesterday, says: The steamer Ironsides, belonging to the Potomac Steamboat Company, which has been running between Baltimore and Wilmington, went ashore on Hog Island shoals last Friday night during a strong easterly gale and rain storm. and has gone to pieces. The crew were taken off, and the Cobb brothers saved the furniture and tackle. Capt. Carter has gone to Norfolk to get wreckers to try and save the engine and boilers. The Ironsides was a side-wheel iron steamer of about one thousand tons, and was built in Wilmington, Delaware, in 1866. was employed in running on the Aquia Creek route. She was a large, swift and one of the but furnished steamers on the river and was lately commanded by Capt. Davis, of this city.

POLICE REPORT. - A young man, for disorderly conduct and for abusing an officer, was fined and discharged. Isaac Lomax, colored, for assaulting Mary Thornton, in Madison Alley, was sent to the Work House; John Laws and Hill Smith, colored, for assaulting Pat. Irven, were committed to the Work House; John Davis, wife and two other women, occupants of Madison Alley, for disorderly conduct, were discharged upon a promise to quit the city at once and Mary Jane Franklin, for disorderly conduct in Madison Alley, was sent to the Work House. The fine imposed upon Alphonso Arrington yesterday having been paid the sentence of the Mayor was remitted and Arrington discharged. It is said the officer who struck him is to be arraigned for an unprovoked assault.

THE HENDERSON-ELDRIDGE CASE AGAIN-RESTRAINING ORDER ISSUED BY JUDGE BOND. -Judge Bond of the U. S. Circuit Court of the Eastern District of Virginia, has issued an order in the case of John T. Henderson & Co. vs. H. S. Wattles, assignee, in the matter of M. Eldridge & Co., bankrupts, requiring cause to be shown why the proceedings in the case had before the United States District Court, Judge Underwood, should not be dismissed, and, in the mean time, restraining the payment of the money adjudged to Henderson & Co. from H. S. Wattles. This order having been served to-day, the rule was enlarged by Judge Underwood until the 16th inst., to await the action of Judge Bond.

Mosquitoes.-Mosquitoes have seldom been known more numerous or more voracious in these parts than now. They have appeared in all parts of the city, and nets have to be used where sleep would be obtained at all. Sitting out at night has had to be abandoned and a light in the house is an invitation to the tormentors, which they never fail to accept-and then woe to the occupants of that house, regardless of race, color, or previous condition, for verily they are no respectors of persons.

DEDICATION OF A CHURCH.—The Methodist Episcopal church at Manassas, Va., will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God on Sunday, september 14, by Rev. Bishop Gilbert Haven, of Atlanta. It was at first announced for Thursday, September 4, but has been postponed at the request of Bishop Haven, who has suddenly been called to attend the Erie conference, on account of the illness of Bishop Janes.

Township Meetings. -- Township meetings of the Conservatives will be held in the respective townships of Fairfax county Saturday next to appoint six delegates each to the County Convention to be held at the Court House on Monday, the 15th, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Treasurer, Commonwealth's Attorney, Sheriff, Superintendent of Poor and

House of Delegates. Association to Carlin's Springs yesterday was ing of the City School Board will be held at very numerously attended by persons from this the office this evening at 8 o'clock. It is hoped city and Washington, and the occasion proved a most agreeable one, everybody seemingly enoring themselves. During the day there was the creditors of the Board are waiting for their

TELEGRAPH.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

Conservative Convention.

WARRENTON, VA., Sept. 2.-Col. Lawson Eastham, of Rappahannock, was nominated in a full convention to-day, on the second ballot, for the State Senate. H. S. Menefee and Zeph Turner were his competitors. The vote given it in such a horrible condition that the major Messrs. Menefee and Turner was very complimentary to each of them. Mr. Eastham's nomination was made unanimous. He accepted the nomination with a profound sense of gratitude, and pledged himself, if elected, to exert his influence and cast his vote for every measure that promised to conduce to the interests of his district.

The nominations for the House of Delegates from Fauquier will be made this evening.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Sept. 2. - Accounts have been receieved here of an accident on the Luxemburg railway by which eight persons were killed and fifteen hurt.

LONDON, Sept. 2.-A report is current on exchange here that the municipal authorities of Madrid have raised the red flag of the commoune on the town hall and that the Ministry have discovered a secret depot of arms, ammunition and petroleum belonging to the Internationale. Confimatory dispatches from Madrid have not been received and the rumors are not generally credited.

Paris, Sept. 2.-The cholera has made its appearance among the troops quartered at Havre, communicated, it is thought, by German emigrants en route to the United States. The fashionable loungers at Trouville are much alarmed and are leaving as rapidly as possible. LONDON, Sept. 2 .-- Vice Admiral Yelverton has taken the iron-clads Almansea and Victoria from the harbor of Cartagena and sent them to Gibraltar. The insurgents made no attempt

New Masonic Temple in Philadelphia.

to prevent the vessels from going.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 2.—The new Masonic Temple was thrown open last evening to officers of Knights Templar and Grand Lodges. The various rooms were brillautly illuminated and the spectators were charmed with the gorgeous spectacle. Tickets for the grand Tournale of the Kuights Templar at the Academy and Horticultural Halls during the dedication week were limited to three thousand and have already been distributed. The demand is so great that ten thousand could be disposed of. It is suggested that the affair be repeated during the week so as to prevent disappointment to many who desire to be present.

Rate of Discount.

LONDON, Sept. 2-2.30 p. m.-The rate of discount in open market for three months bills is 33-16 per cent. The demand for discounts in open market is heavy. The demands for discounts at the Bank of England are light.

A Hoax.

WREHITA, KANSAS, Sept. 2.—The stage leaving Fort Sill August 28th brings the report that the story of the Indian massacre is a hoax. There is no trouble with the Indians at Fort Sill or on the road.

Massachusetts Politics.

WORCESTER, Sept. 2 .- The first caucus in sum of money with him. chose two anti-Butler delegates to the Conven-

Bullion in the Bank of England.

LONDON, Sept. 2-3.30 p. m.—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on ballance to day is 156,000 pounds.

Weather in England.

LONDON, Sept. 2-2:30 p. m.-The weather is wet and unfavorable to corps.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, September 2, 11 a. m. For the Middle States, increasing pressure, light to fresh winds, mostly from the west and southwest, and generally clear weather. For the South Atlantic, east of the Mississippi, Until the summer just expired, the Ironsides light to fresh winds from the south and west, and partly cloudy weather, with occasional areas of light rain on the coast.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.-Stocks dull. Gold 15%. Money 5a9. Flour firm and active. Wheat advancing. Corn a shade firmer.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 2.-Va. sixes, consolidated, 513. West Va. sixes 12 bid to-day. Cotton quiet but firm at 18a181. Flour steady and firm; prices unchanged. Wheat active and strong. Corn-white Southern 70a71; yellow do. 59a 60; mixed Western 61. Rye weak and dull at 75a85. Hay unchanged. Provisions heavy and

[COMMUNICATED.

A DISGRACEFUL SCENE.-I was witness, yesterday afternoon, to a most disgraceful scene. An old man with his gray hairs uncovered, a justice of the peace, was dragged out of his office, and along to the station house, by two policemen, while the rabble followed. shouting at the sight. It was certainly not a spectacle calculated to increase the respect of the multitude for the law, or those who ad-

minister it. I have heard something about the cause of the arrest, but not enough to warrant an expression of opinion as to the merits of the case; merely wish to call the attention of the proper authorities and of the people to the matter. If a justice of the peace does anything to require such treatment, he is utterly unworthy of the high office be holds and ought to be, at once removed from it. On the other hand, if he has been treated thus unworthily, without good cause, those who arrested him should be made to atone for their precipitancy. A small fine on either party will not satisfy the community whose sense of propriety has been outraged by a scene like that of yesterday.

A CITIZEN.

CONSERVATIVE MEETING. The members of the Conservative party

of the city and county of Alexandria are requested to meet at Sarepta Hall, in the city of Alexandria, on Wednesday evening next, the 3d day of September, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing ward and township committees and to consider other matters in reference to the ap-

proaching State elections. JNO. B. SMOOT, County Supt. sep 1-td GEO. R. SHINN, Secretary. A regular monthly meeting of the Hy-

draulion Steam Fire Engine Company will be

held to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, September 2d, 1873. By order of the President: H. C. CLARK, Secretary. sep 1-2t A The Third Annual Meeting of the Stock-holders of the "Alexandria Co-operative Building Association" will be held at No. 99 King st.

on Tuesday evening, September 2d, at 7½ o'cl'k., at which time an election of officers will be held to serve for the ensuing year.

aug 30-3t Geo. R. Shinn, Secretary.

OPENED THIS DAY.

25 yards Brown and Bleached Canton Flannels, Brown and Bleached Muslins, Osnaburgs, Black CITY SCHOOL BOARD.—An adjourned meetvard Skirts, Shawls, Ladies' and Gents' Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, Towels, Hesiery, Bed Spreads, &c. All the above goods we are selling on the best terms.

WM. N. BERKLEY,

64 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A man named John Gibson, living near the Poor's House, while on his way home early last night in an intoxicated condition, fell at the intersection of the track of the A. & W. R. R. with Washington street, and went to sleep on the side of the track with one hand thrown out and resting on the rail. The 8 o'clock train and resting on the rail. The S o'clock train ally in advance. Several State Scholarships va-from Washington soon came along and passing cant. For Catalogues, containing full particu-over the outstretched hand tore and mangled lars, address Prof. WM. H. HOPKINS,

part of it had to be amputated this morning. Mr. Thomas Butler, a member of the old 17th Virginia, while sitting at the grocery of Mr. John Grev, corner of Royal and Princess streets, yesterday afternoon, saw a flock of teel plover alight in the open marshy square just opposite that place. He immediately went into the house, got a gun, and at one discharge killed sixteen of the birds, which were in excellent condition.

The September term of the County Court adjourned to-day till court in course. The only business done was the issuing of one set of naturalization papers, and, in the case of Beuchler vs. Carpenter, motion on a forfeited forthcoming bond, in which objection to award of execution was overruled and case continued.

Large numbers of people are now returning from the Virginia Springs. The trains on the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R. come in nightly crowded. Last evening so many arrived that their baggage could not be carried with them on the ferry boat to Washington, so that they had to remain in that city all night.

A young man named Taylor, from Washington, was accidentally shot at the "Stone House," on the Manassas battle field, last Friday, by the discharge of an old musket in the hands of a companion named McNarhany. Taylor was wounded in the arm, which had to be amputated.

The anomalous sight of a Justice of the Peace and a member of the city police being arrested at the former's office, committed to the station house, and the Justice being fined and discharged by the Mayor, for disorderly conduct, was witnessed by a large number of persons in this city yesterday afternoon.

A match game of base ball will be played here on the afternoon of Thursday next between the Arlington Club of Washington and the Independents of this city. After the game the visitors will be intertained hospitably by their opponents.

Maj. H. C. Williams, of Fairfax, passed through here on his way to "New Boston," Washington, with some specimens of beautiful and delicious fruit, to attend the regular monthly meeting of the Potomac Fruit Growers' Association, which met in that city to-day.

Several disreputable families-the Madisons, Mumps, Lucases and others, occupying a house near Colross, formerly used as the smallpox hospital, being complained of, were arrested yesterday, but discharged upon a promise to vacate the premises and disperse immediately.

E. E. Downham & Co. advertise pure rve and wheat whiskies of their own manufacture distilled in 1868. They are also agents for Thos. Moore's Rye and Bourbon Whiskies and dealers in wines and liquors of every variety. Give them a call and examine their stock.

No information has been obtained of the missing colored man, Bradshaw, whose mysterious disappearance, more than a week ago, has already been mentioned. He was last seen near the Fish wharf, and had a considerable

Worcester county held at Dudley last night Old Aunt Maria Dorsey, wife of the late Enoch Dorsey, a well-known carriage driver tion; Douglass sends two and New Braintree here in the days gone by, died on Sunday last at a very advanced age, one of the oldest inhabitants of the city. She was respected by all who knew her.

A colored boy not liking what a white boy who was setting ou the sill of the cellar door of Mr. Lunt's drug store, said to him, yesterday afternoon, deliberately walked up to him and pushed him down the high flight of steps, injuring him badly but not seriously.

Mr. W. P. Warfield, of this city, has been appointed conductor of the Pullman palace sleeping car, running between W ashington and Rochester, N. Y., and male his first trip yesterday.

The Mayor has determined to break up and utterly abolish that disgrace to the city known as Madison alley, opening on the west side of Henry, between King and Cameron streets, by expelling its inhabitants.

Mr. Dodridge Lee, of Fairfax county, lied on Thursday last. Mr. Lee, it will be remem-bered, killed Mr. David Hume in Washington, in 1857 in an altercation.

The B. & P. R. R. yesterday commenced receiving freight for this city at the Calvert street depot and receiving freight from this city at the same place.

Thirty-five loaded boats, were locked through

the four locks of this canal yesterday. This exceeds any former lockage. The gunners are shooting quite a number of reed birds-but the birds are not yet in prime

Mr. Pleasants, of the Richmond Dispatch,

was in this city to-day, on his way to Loudoun, for a short holiday. The lightning was incessant and vivid, all

last night.

Scool Permits .- The rush at the office of the Clerk of the City School Board is over, though for a time this morning there was a large crowd. The whole number of permits granted up to 2 p. m., to-day, was four hundred and thirty-three; white boys, 197; white girls, 128; colored boys, 43; colored girls, 65.

PURE VIRGINIA RYE AND WHEAT ${ m WHISKIES}$

We have in store and for sale a few barrels of PURE RYE and WHEAT WHISKEY, of our own production, made at our Distillery in Also an assorted stock of MOORE'S PURE RYE and BOURBON WHISKIES always in

The above WHISKIES are made from the finest selected grain, double copper distilled, and are sold in and from the original packages only. They are thereby enabled to get a pure unadul-

terated article, and this is a point well worthy of consideration. E. E. DOWNHAM & CO.,

Alexandria, Va. sep 2-6m FRENCH LANGUAGE.

Professor LOUIS GANBIN, will resume his duties on the 22d inst., and organize classes at his own residence. Terms per quarter three and four dollars. He will also give private instruc-tion at the pupil's residence. His classes will be so arranged that they will not interfere with the regular studies at school. Address P. O. box 284, Alexandria, Va. sep 2-2w

MRS. M. M. SMITH, (a pupil of Mrs. Look-erman, of Richmond) will begin by the FIFTEENTH INSTANT to teach VOCAL MUSIC, and respectfully offers her services to Principals of Schools or pupils at private resi dences. Best references can be given. apply to Prof. ROBT. E. HEYMAN, sep 2-t01 No. 20 Royal street, south.

FIELD SEEDS! 1000 bushels TIMOTHY.
500 "ORCHARD GRASS. HERBERT BRYANT,

SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO For sale by For sale by HERBERT BRYANT, Agent for Eastern No. 25 King street. sep 2-1m A MERICAN BONELESS SARDINES, the cheapest luxury of the age. Try them.

For sale by

GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

No. 25 King street.

EDUCATIONAL.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE,

ANNAPOLIS, MD., JAMES M. GARNETT, M. A., Principal. Examinations for admission September 29th and 30th. Session begins October 1st. Terms, for tuition and board, (including fuel, lights and washing.) \$275 per annum, payable semi-annu-Annapolis, Md. aug 27-wtO1

Episcopal High School of Virg'a. NEAR ALEXANDRIA.

The 30th Annual Session of this School for Boys begins Sept. 24, 1873. Full corps of Assistants. Terms \$330 per year. No extras. Catalogue, with particulars, sent on application

to the Principal, L. M. BLACKFORD, M.A. Alexandria, Va.

MISS POWELL'S SELECT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, N. E. corner Washington and Duke sts.,

Alexandria, Va.
The next session of this School will begin on MONDAY, September 22d.
Terms: For tuition in English and French \$32 per half session—payable in advance. Circulars can be obtained from French's bookstore or on application to Miss Powell. [a21-eolm

MISS ELIZA C. ADAM will reopen her BOARDING SCHOOL FOR SIX PU-PILS on WEDNESDAY, September 10. Early applications are requested that a class may b formed engaged in the same studies. For full information address Miss ELIZA C. ADAM, jy 23-eo2m Alexandria, Va. THE SCHOOL OF MISS BELLE SMITH

will be resumed, at 140 King st., on MON DAY, September 22d. Applications, or admission of pupils will be received and information given at No. 241 King street. aug 11-ec4w BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.

The Misses GREENE will resume the duties of their School on TUESDAY, September 16th, at No. 16 south Fairfax street. Miss U. C. GREENE, Miss J. R. GREENE, Principals.

aug 12-t01 MT. VERNON INSTITUTE No. 12 S. Washington st.
Scholastic duties will be resumed MONDAY, September 15th. Number of boarders limited Address for particulars, Miss M. A. ROACH, Principal,

aug 15-1m P. O. Box 379. MISS V. L. JOHNSON AND SISTER will open a SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LA-DIES, commencing WEDNESDAY, September 17th, 1873, at No. 210 Prince street, A'exanaug 12-1m

NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 15, 1873.

Address WM. D CABELL, Principal,

Norwood P. O. Nelson co., Va. FOR SALE OR RENT.

DWELLING FOR RENT-No. 216 South side of Wolfe street, between Columbus and Washington streets; has large garden attached, and a pump of water in the yard. Possession given at once. Apply to GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agents. sep 1-4f

FOR SALE. The property in Alexandria known as JANNEY'S WHARF, with the BLOCK OF WAREHOUSES adjoining, between King and Prince streets, bounded

on the west by Union street, on the north by a thirty-feet alley and on the south by a twelvefeet alley.

One half of the block of warehouses can be sold separately.

One fourth of the purchase money to be paid on giving possession; the residue to be secured

by mortgage on time to suit the purchaser. Application may be made to SAMUEL M. JANNEY, Lincoln, Loudoun county, Va., or toJANNEY & CO., Alexa. 8th mo, 23-lawti FOR RENT-STORE ROOM 92 King street, now occupied by Nott & Co. This is an excellent stand for a dry goods, slice or hard-ware business, and will be vacated by the 1st of

Also DWELLING No. 41 north Pitt street. This house is in good order and supplied with gas and water fixtures. Apply to aug 23-eoti WM. GREGORY. aug 23-eotf

FOR RENT-The commodious two-story BRICK DWELLING, No. 204 Prince st. Rent \$30 per month. Possession on the 10th day of September, or sooner if desired, apply to aug 19-tf ROBERT W. DAVIS.

FOR RENT-TWO DESIRABLE FOR RENT-TWO DESIKABLE DWELLINGS on Washington street; gas and water in each. Apply to
Mrs. R. BROCKETT,

aug 8-tf No. 80 Washington st. TO LET-The TWO-STORY WARE-HOUSE foot of Queen street, on Union st. Apply at the office of the Hampshire and Balti-TO LET-The TWO-STORY WARE-

HOUSE FOR RENT ON PITT ST., with double parlor, dining room, kitchen and pantry on first floor; five chambers in the second story, with good cellar and yard. Gas and water fixtures. House in good condition. Rent moderate to a punctual tenant. Apply to B. F. PRICE, No. 7 S. Columbus st. je 14-tf FOR RENT-The THREE-STORY
BRICK HOUSE No. 40 south Washington

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By Francis A. Kerby, [General Auctioneer and Real Estate Agent.]

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